



I'M LONELY SINCE MY MOTHER DIED.

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I'm lonely since my mother died ;
Tho' friends and kindred gather near,
I cannot check the rising sigh,
Or stay the silent heart-felt tear.
Of earthly friends, she was the best
My erring youthful steps to guide ;
Oh ! do not smile because I weep,
I'm lonely since my mother died.

Chorus : I'm lonely since my mother died ;
Tho' friends and kindred gather near,
I cannot check the rising sigh,
Or stay the heart-felt silent tear.

You may not deem it brave or strong
To let these tears so often flow ;
But those who've lost a mother's love,
Can tell the pain of my sad woe.
Could I but call her back again,
And kneel once more down by her side,
I'd love her better than before..

I'm lonely since my mother died.

Chorus.

O you who have a mother dear,
Let not a word, or act, give pain ;
But cherish, love her with your life,
You ne'er can have her like again.
Then, when she's called from you away,
Across death's dark and troubled tide,
In pain, with me, you need not say :
I'm lonely since my mother died.

Chorus.

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